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Request

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Dear FOIA Officer, Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and the implementing FOIA regulations of the agency, I respectfully request documents sufficient to account for the last 125 text/SMS messages sent to or from NRCExecSec@nrc.gov between November 1, 2024, and January 19, 2025. Search Instructions: I request all responsive documents be delivered electronically, via email. For any responsive documents, please include the entire communications chain, and all file attachments. To further narrow down the scope of the request, requester does not seek correspondence that merely forwards press clippings, such as news accounts or opinion pieces, newsletters, and published or docketed materials, if that correspondence has no comment or no substantive comment added by any party in the thread. The terms 'pertaining to', 'referring', 'relating', or 'concerning' with respect to any given subject means anything that constitutes, contains, embodies, reflects, identifies, states, refers to, deals with, or is in any manner whatsoever pertinent to that subject. The term 'record' means any written, recorded, or graphic matter of any nature whatsoever, regardless of how recorded, and whether original or copy, including, but not limited to, the following: memoranda, reports, expense reports, books, database records, raw data, manuals, instructions, financial reports, working papers, records, notes, letters, notices, confirmations, telegrams, receipts, appraisals, pamphlets, magazines, newspapers, prospectuses, inter-office and intra-office communications, electronic mail (emails), MMS or SMS text messages, instant messages, messaging systems (such as IRC, WebIRC, Rocketchat, Signal, iMessage, Microsoft Teams, WhatsApp, Telegram, Signal, Google Chat, Twitter direct messages, Lync, Slack, and Facebook Messenger), contracts, cables, telexes, notations of any type of conversation, telephone call, voicemail, meeting or other communication. Please comply fully with 5 U.S.C. § 552(b).

Request description

Supporting documentation

Fees

Request category ID media

Fee waiver

yes

Explanation

The Oversight Project requests a waiver of all fees associated with processing this request. The Oversight Project is a 501(c)(4) non-profit dedicated to critical examination of government actions. Given The Oversight Project's purpose and that this request is primarily and fundamentally for furthering that non-commercial purpose, a fee waiver is appropriate here because disclosure is likely to contribute to the public's understanding of government operations in a meaningful way. A waiver of fees is warranted because the disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest and is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations and activities of the government. Specifically, the requested records pertain to Cabinet-level communications concerning the question of who exercised operational control over the White House during any period in which President Biden was believed to be incapacitated. The Oversight Project uses the information requested and analyzes it in order to educate the public through the creation and distribution of unique editorial content on social media and its website (See: Oversight Project (@ItsYourGov), X, <https://x.com/ItsYourGov> (last visited Apr 2, 2025)). Examples of this content include distribution of records and analysis of President Joseph R. Biden's use of auto-pens (auto-pen records); distribution of records and analysis of the Small Business Administration's implementation of Executive Order 14019 (SBA; Executive Order 14019); and distribution of records and analysis of false statements made by former Department of Homeland Security Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas regarding now-debunked allegations that Customs and Border Protection agents whipped migrants crossing the Rio Grande River (DHS; CBP; Rio Grande incident). (See: Oversight Project Exposes Biden Administration's Attempts to Mobilize Federal Resources to Juice Democratic Turnout in Michigan, Oversight Project (May 15, 2024), <https://itsyourgov.org/litigation/oversight-project-exposes-biden-administrations-attempts-to-mobilize-federal-resources-to-juice-democratic-turnout-in-michigan/> (last visited Apr. 2, 2025)). In addition to the work published on our website and social media, I and other employees of The Oversight Project regularly contribute to other traditional and non-traditional media. As the foregoing demonstrates, The Oversight Project qualifies for a fee waiver. If, however, you deny this request for a fee waiver, please advise me in advance of the estimated charges exceeding \$50 and provide a detailed and itemized explanation of those charges. Thank you in advance for considering my request. If you have any questions, or need

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Additional information

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